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Continuation Application of
Serial No.: 07/927,730

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Filed: concurrently herewith

For: MATERIAL FOR PASSIVE ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee, please amend
the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Change the title to read:

--ELECTRONIC DEVICE INCLUDING A PASSIVE ELECTRONIC COMPONENT--

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please cancel page 18 of the application, and insert a
new Abstract as follows:

Application to A